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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: J. YUGAMI, et al.  
Application No.: 10/005,355  
Filed: December 7, 2001  
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND PROCESS  
FOR PRODUCING THE SAME  
Art Unit: 2829  
Examiner: S. B. Geyer

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

August 25, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 23, 2003, the period of response for which extension is requested by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as listed below and as set forth on the following pages:

- Amendments to the Specification;**
- Amendments to the Claims;**
- Amendments to the Drawings describing changes to drawings shown in Appendix B;**
- Remarks are included following the amendments;**
- APPENDIX A providing an explanatory sketch is attached following the remarks; and**
- APPENDIX B including amended drawing figures is attached following Appendix A.**